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Re: Application No.: 09/966,168
Filing Date: September 28, 2001
Attorney Docket No.: IDF 1663 (4000-05300)

Commissioner:

Enclosed are the following documents for filing:

1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts;
2. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts;
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney;
4. Fee Transmittal;
5. Acknowledgement postcard; and
6. This transmittal letter.

Please date-stamp the acknowledgment postcard and return it to the undersigned to confirm receipt of the above documents.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Best regards,

Michael S. Bush

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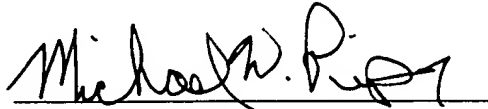
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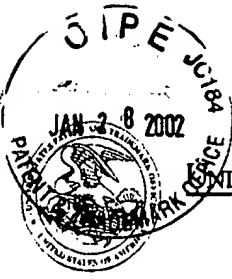
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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/966,168	09/28/2001	Malcolm Boyd	IDF 1663 (4000-05300)

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

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Group Art Unit 2681

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- Applicant claims small entity status.

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107 510	207 255	Plant filing fee	\$
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee	\$
114 160	214 80	Provisional filing fee	\$

SUBTOTAL (1) \$

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Multiple Dependent		280.00	= \$00.00

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103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent Claims in excess of 3
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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139 130	139 130	Non-English specification	\$
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120 320	220 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	\$
121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing	\$
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	\$
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143 460	243 230	Design issue fee	\$
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